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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Baklanov, et al.
Appl. No. : 09/844,959
Filed : April 27, 2001
For : FLUORINATED HARD MASK
FOR MICROPATTERNING OF
POLYMERS
Examiner : Trinh, H. B.
Group Art Unit : 2814

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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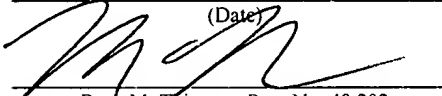
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment in 4 pages.

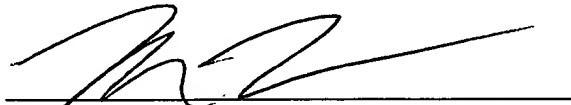
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2 Month Extension		1252 (\$420)		\$0
3 Month Extension		1253 (\$950)		\$950
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(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

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